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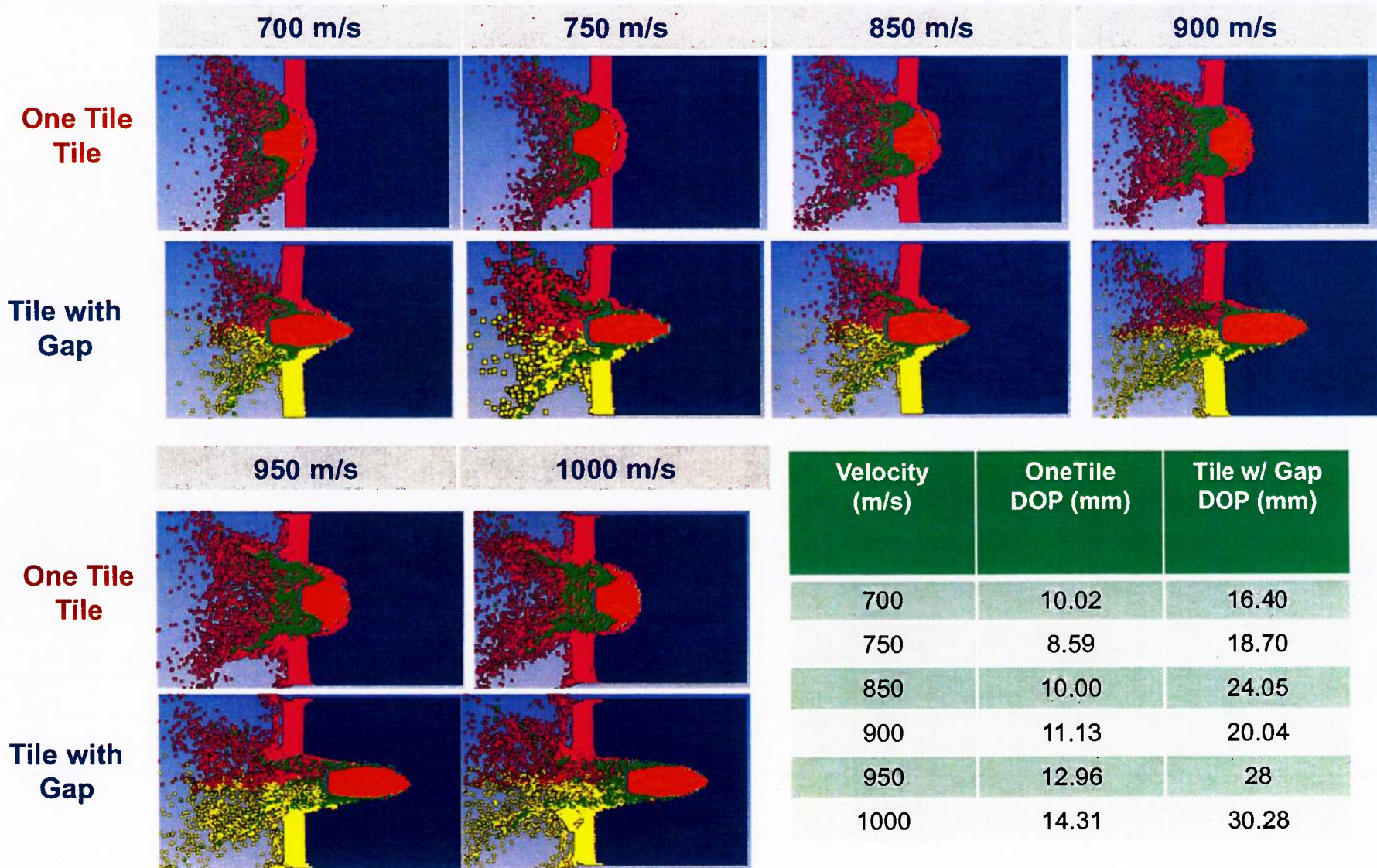
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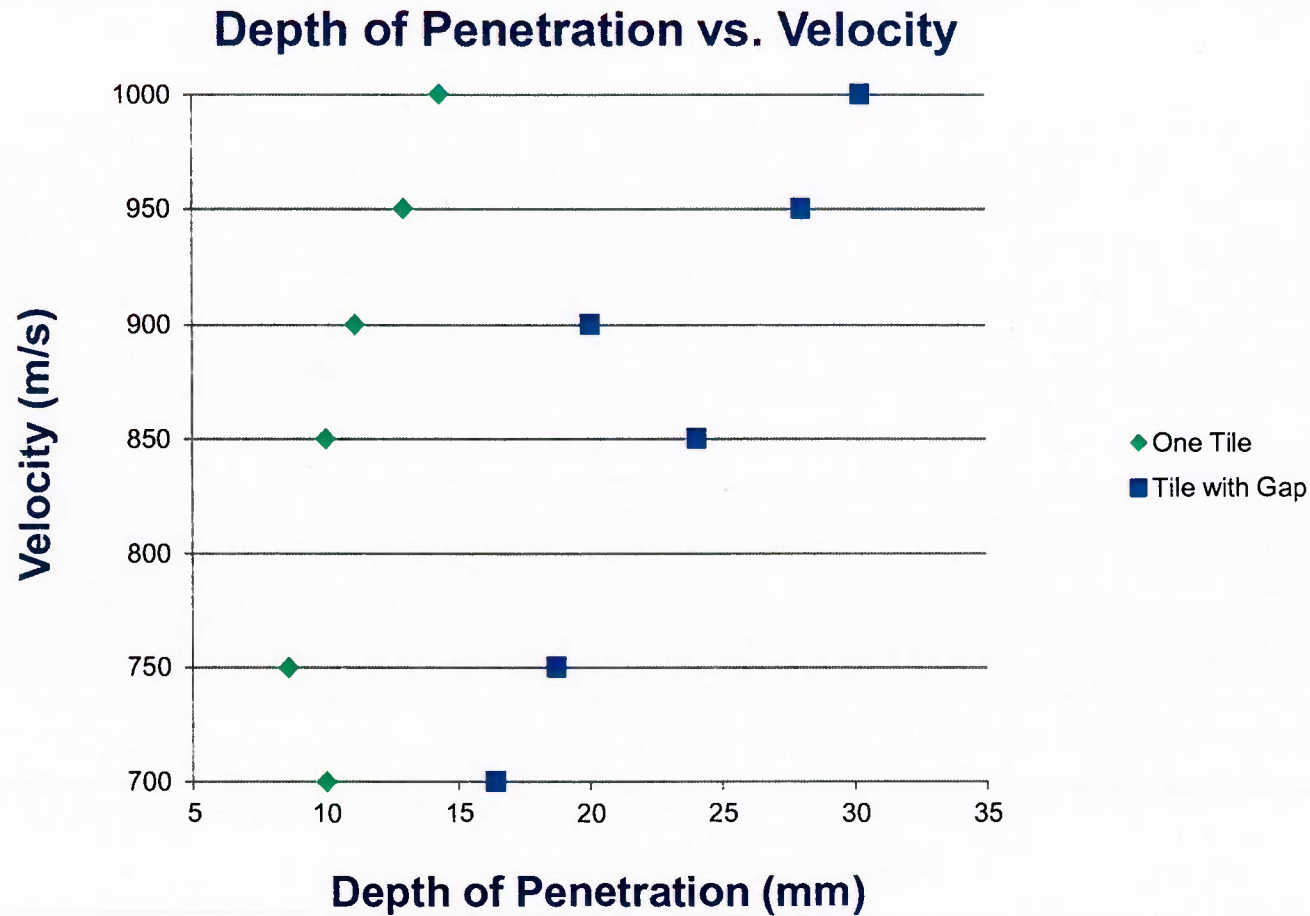


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EFFECT OF TILE GAP ON DOP



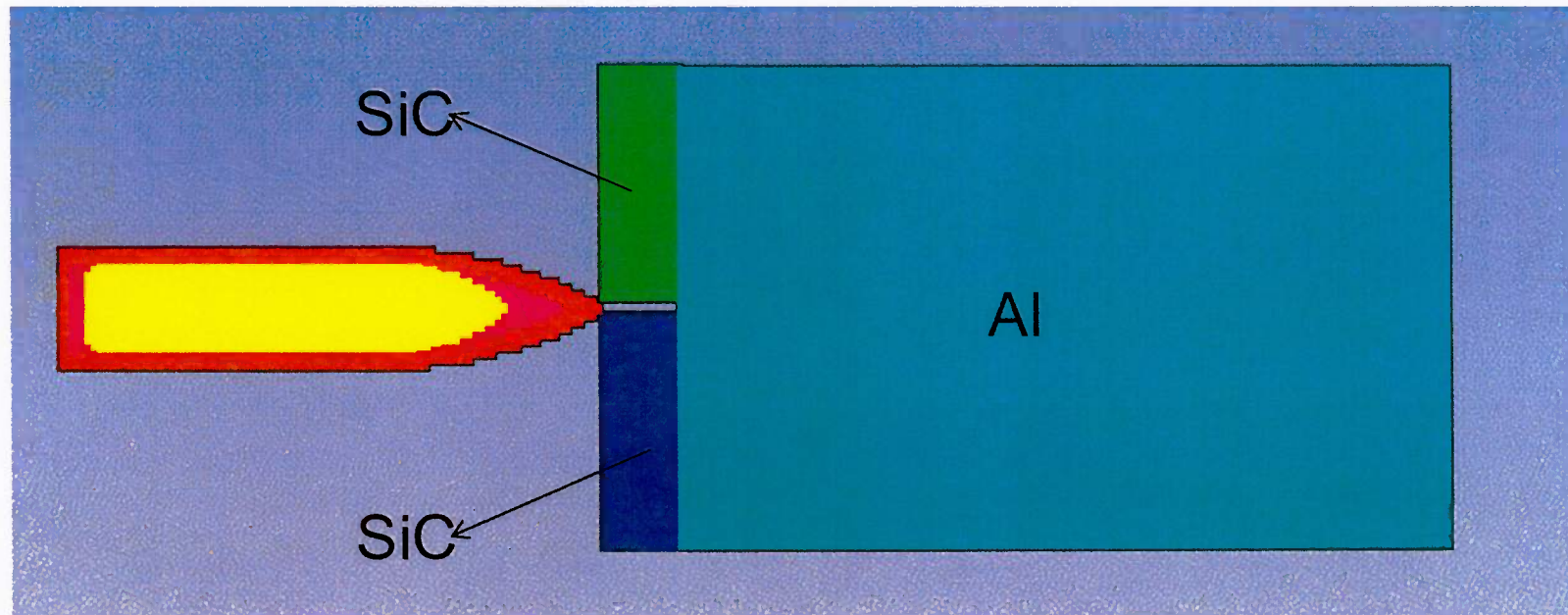
DEPTH OF PENETRATION





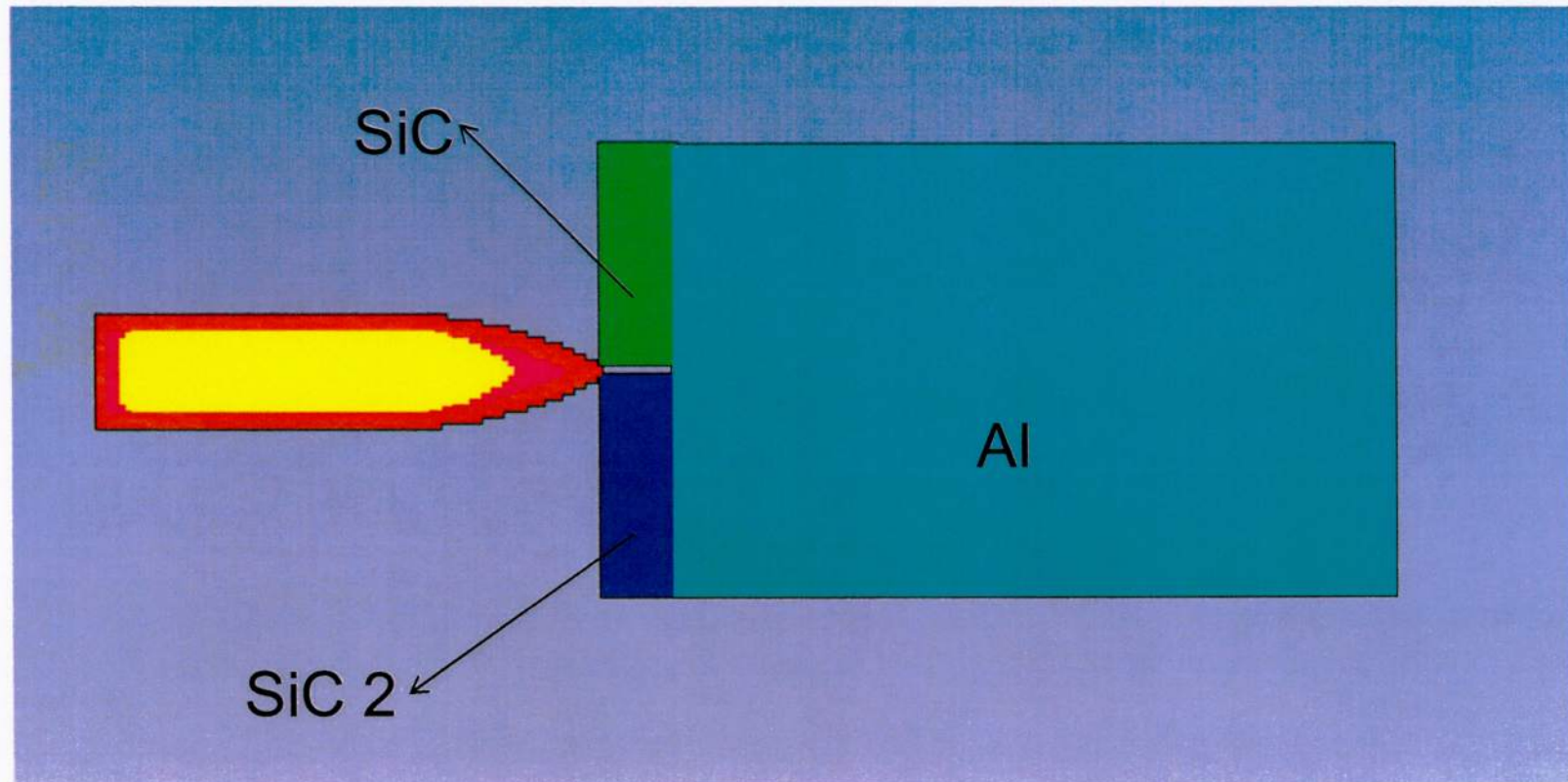
DOP SIMULATION DETAILS

HALF SYMMETRIC MODEL WITH GAP IN AUTODYN



- ☐ Smoothed-particle hydrodynamics (SPH) used for all parts
- ☐ SPH size = 0.40-mm, totaling 278k elements
- ☐ Clamp boundary condition used

HALF-SYMMETRIC MODEL WITH GAP IN AUTODYN



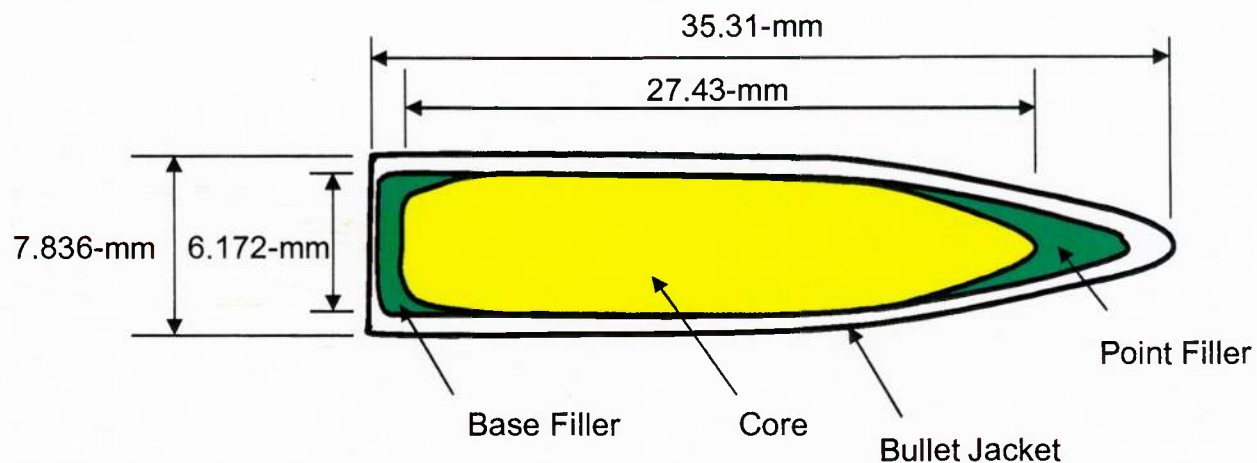
- ❑ SiC and SiC 2 have the same properties. They have been saved as separate materials to differentiate between the two ceramic tiles
- ❑ There is a gap size of 1.2 mm in-between the two ceramic tiles to simulate a impact on a seam

Target Dimensions



- ❑ **Aluminum Backing**
 - ❑ **Length = 35.08 mm**
- ❑ **Ceramic Plate(s)**
 - ❑ **Length (t_c) = 5.08 mm**
 - ❑ **Gap size = 1.2 mm**
- ❑ **Total Length = 40.08 mm**

.30cal AP-M2 PROJECTILE MASS PROPERTIES

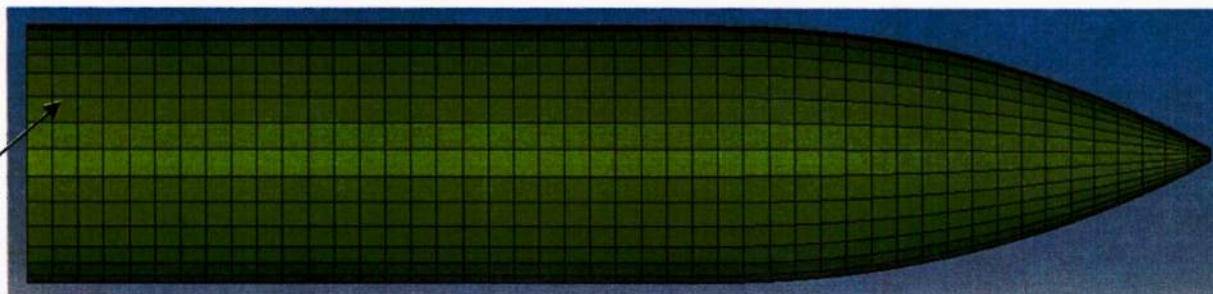


Component	Material	Weight (g)
Jacket	Gilding Metal	4.2
Core	Hardened Steel - RC 63	5.3
Point Filler	Lead	0.8
Base Filler	Lead	0.5
Total Weight		10.8

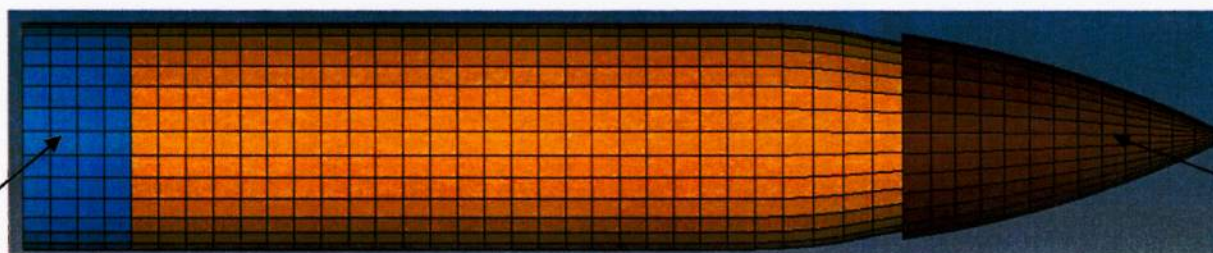
SOLID MODEL OF .30cal AP M2 PROJECTILE



Metal
Jacket

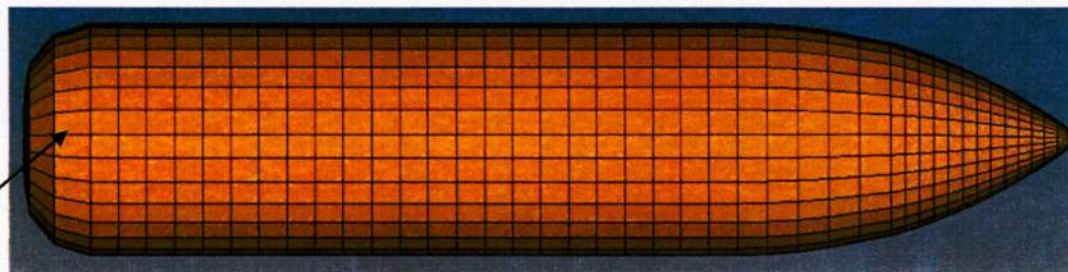


Lead
Base
Filler



Lead
Point
Filler

Steel
Core



MATERIAL PROPERTIES – AI 5083



Experimental AI 5083

	AI 5083
Density (g/cm ³)	2.65
Tensile Strength (MPa)	377.1
Yield Strength (MPa)	318.5
Elongation (%)	9.3

Ref:
MTL TR-86-14, 1986.
ARL-TR-2219, 2000.

AutoDyn AI 5083 H116

Equation of State	Linear
Reference density	2.70000E+00 (g/cm ³)
Bulk Modulus	5.83300E+11 (ubar)
Reference Temperature	2.93000E+02 (K)
Specific Heat	9.10000E+06 (erg/gK)
Thermal Conductivity	0.00000E+00 ()
Strength	Johnson Cook
Shear Modulus	2.69200E+11 (ubar)
Yield Stress	1.67000E+09 (ubar)
Hardening Constant	5.96000E+09 (ubar)
Hardening Exponent	5.51000E-01 (none)
Strain Rate Constant	1.00000E-03 (none)
Thermal Softening Exponent	8.59000E-01 (none)
Melting Temperature	8.93000E+02 (K)
Ref. Strain Rate (/s)	1.00000E+00 (none)
Strain Rate Correction	1st Order
Failure	None
Erosion	None
Material Cutoffs	-
Maximum Expansion	1.00000E-01 (none)
Minimum Density Factor	1.00000E-05 (none)
Minimum Density Factor (SPH)	2.00000E-01 (none)
Maximum Density Factor (SPH)	3.00000E+00 (none)
Minimum Soundspeed	1.00000E-04 (cm/s)
Maximum Soundspeed (SPH)	1.01000E+20 (cm/s)
Maximum Temperature	1.00000E+16 (K)

MATERIAL PROPERTIES - SiC



Experimental SiC

	SiC
Density (g/cm ³)	3.20
Elastic Modulus (GPa)	455
Shear Modulus (GPa)	195
Longitudinal Wave Velocity (km/s)	12.3
Poisson's Ratio	0.14
Hardness (kg/mm ²)	2700
Compressive Strength (MPa)	3410

Ref:
ARL-TR-2219, 2000.

AutoDyn SiC

Equation of State	Polynomial
Reference density	3.21500E+00 (g/cm3)
Bulk Modulus A1	2.20000E+12 (ubar)
Parameter A2	3.61000E+12 (ubar)
Parameter A3	0.00000E+00 (ubar)
Parameter B0	0.00000E+00 (none)
Parameter B1	0.00000E+00 (none)
Parameter T1	2.20000E+12 (ubar)
Parameter T2	0.00000E+00 (ubar)
Reference Temperature	2.93000E+02 (K)
Specific Heat	0.00000E+00 (erg/gK)
Thermal Conductivity	0.00000E+00 ()
Strength	Johnson-Holmquist
Shear Modulus	1.93500E+12 (ubar)
Model Type	Segmented (JH1)
Hugoniot Elastic Limit, HEL	1.17000E+11 (ubar)
Intact Strength Constant, S1	7.10000E+10 (ubar)
Intact Strength Constant, P1	2.50000E+10 (ubar)
Intact Strength Constant, S2	1.22000E+11 (ubar)
Intact Strength Constant, P2	1.00000E+11 (ubar)
Strain Rate Constant, C	9.00000E-03 (none)
Max. Fracture Strength, SFMAX	1.30000E+10 (ubar)
Failed Strength Constant, ALPHA	4.00000E-01 (none)
Failure	Johnson Holmquist
Hydro Tensile Limit	-7.50000E+09 (ubar)
Model Type	Segmented (JH1)
Damage Constant, EFMAX	1.20000E+00 (none)
Damage Constant, P3	9.97500E+11 (ubar)
Bulking Constant, Beta	1.00000E+00 (none)
Damage Type	Instantaneous (JH1)
Tensile Failure	Hydro (Pmin)

CALCULATING DEPTH OF PENETRATION



- ❑ DoP is calculated:

$$DOP = L - L_{NP}$$

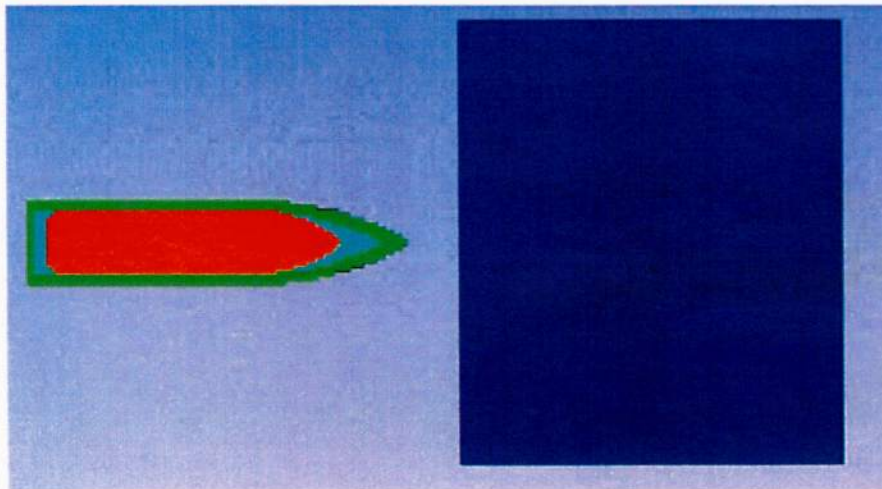
- ❑ Where L is the length of the entire target ceramic tiles and aluminum backing
- ❑ L_{NP} is the length of the target left not penetrated when the velocity and kinetic energy of the projectile have reached zero

Monolithic Al 5083 No Ceramic Tile

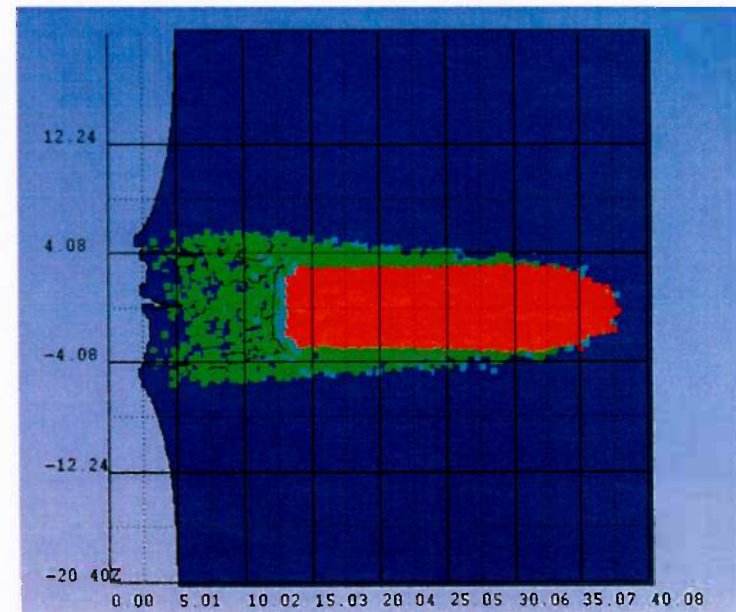
$V_o = 700$ m/s



Projectile Run at 700 m/s



Depth of Penetration

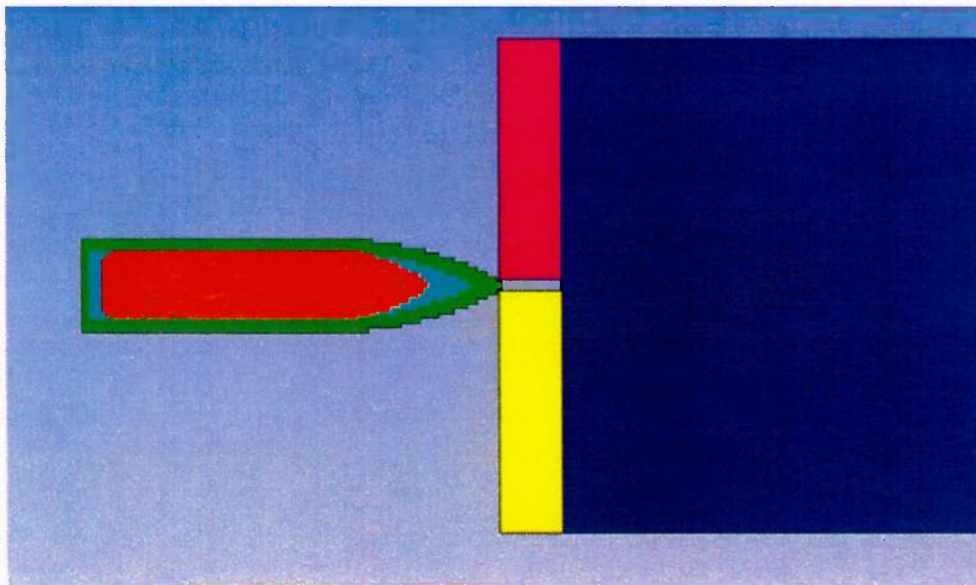


$$\text{DOP} = 40.08 - 2.50 = 37.57 \text{ mm}$$

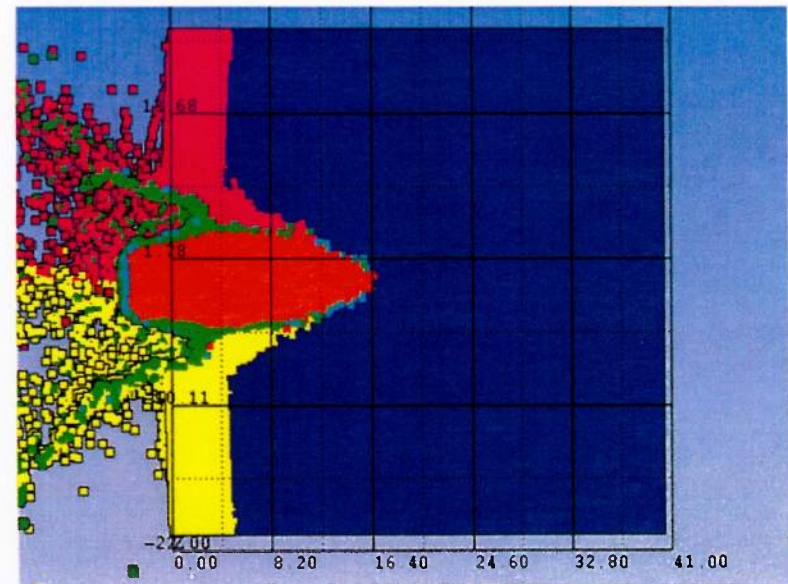
**$V_o = 700 \text{ m/s}$ $t_c = 5.08 \text{ mm}$ particle size
= 0.4, Gap = 1.2 mm**



Projectile Run at 700 m/s



Depth of Penetration

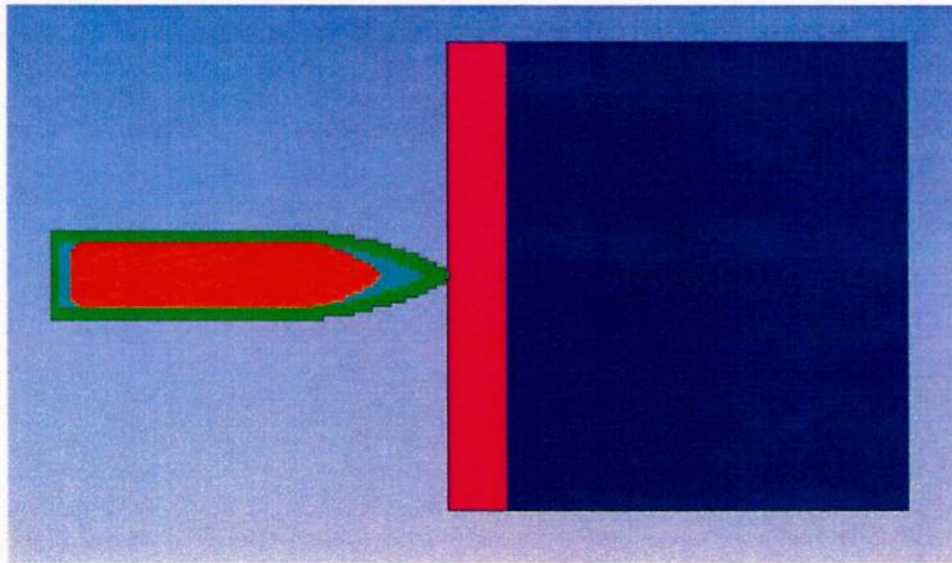


$$\text{DOP} = 40.08 - 23.68 = 16.40 \text{ mm}$$

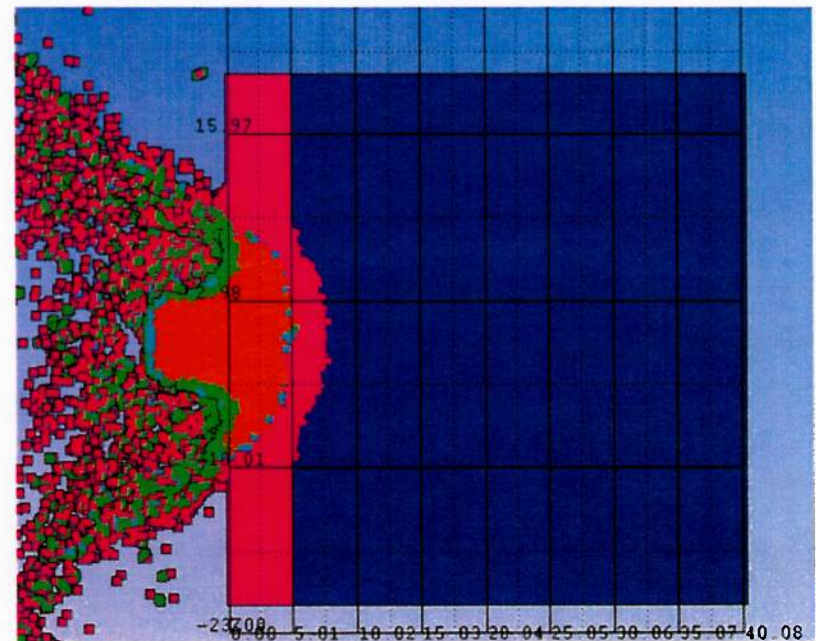
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= 0.4, One Tile



Projectile Run at 700 m/s



Depth of Penetration

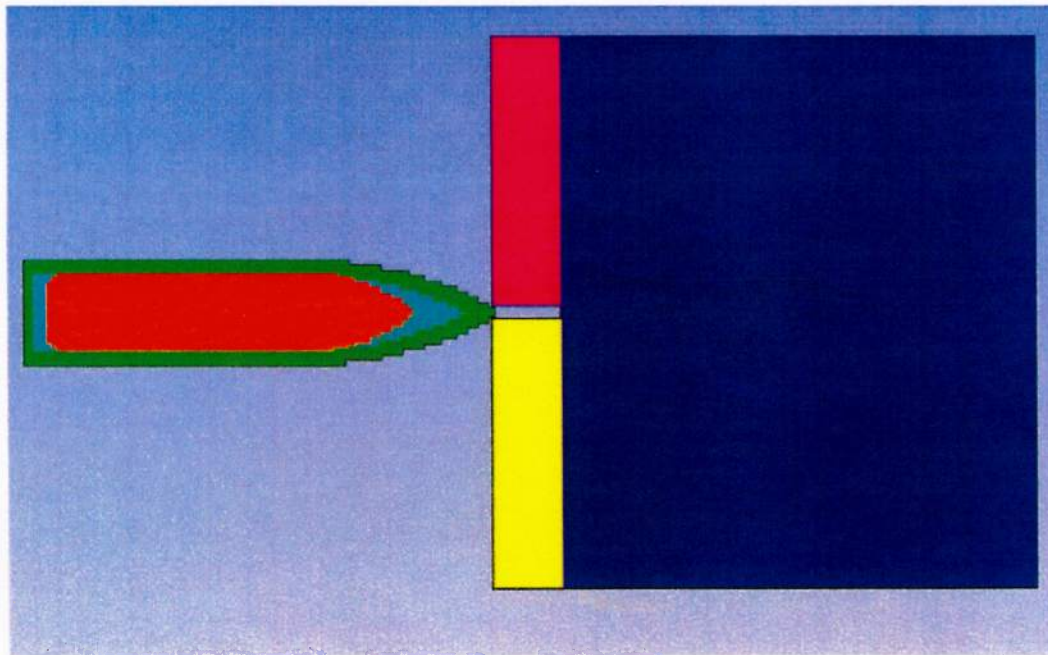


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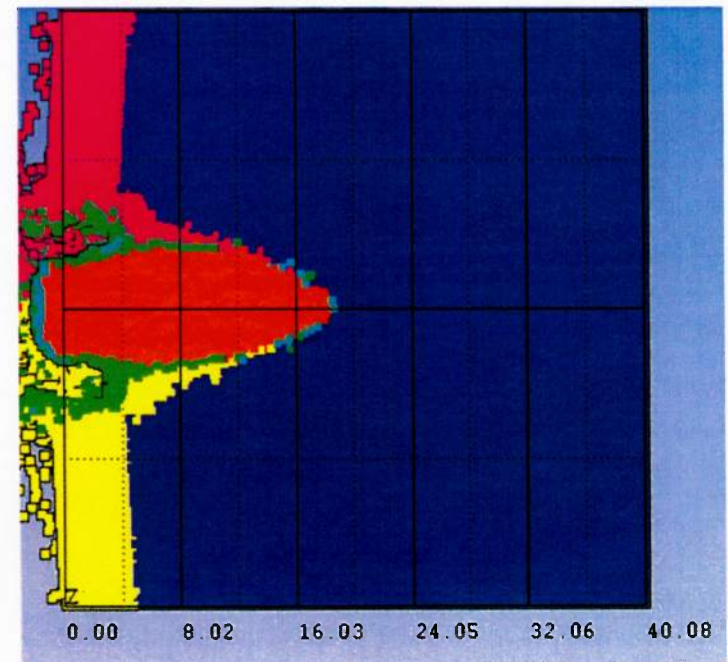
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= 0.4, Gap = 1.2 mm**



Projectile Run at 750 m/s



Depth of Penetration

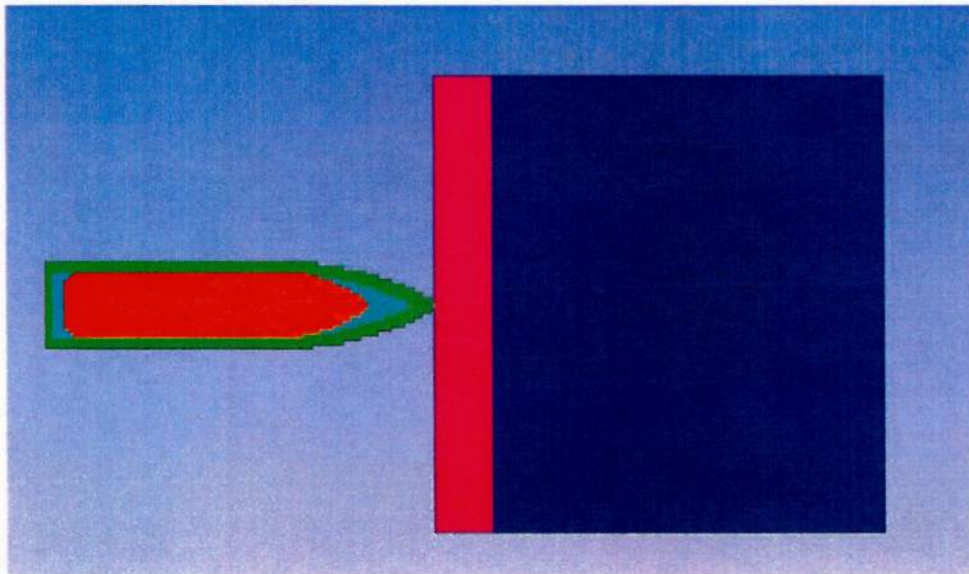


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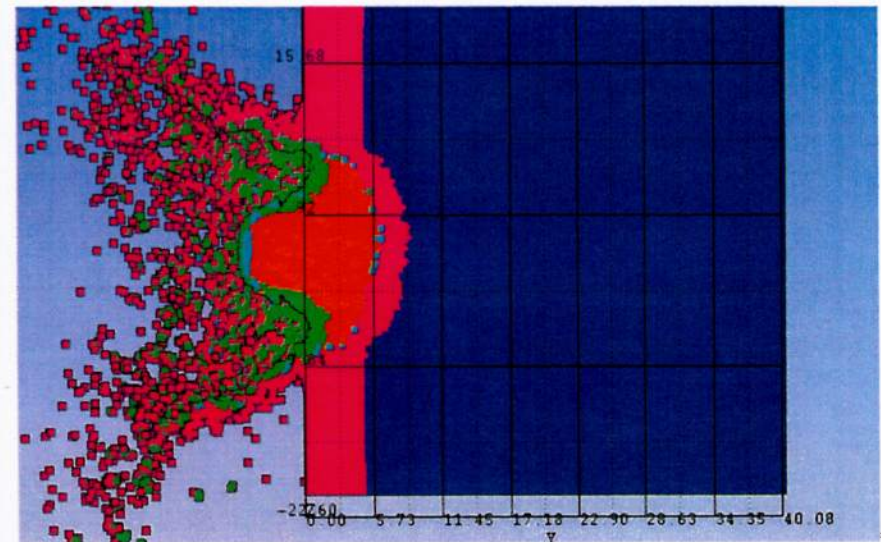
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Projectile Run at 750 m/s



Depth of Penetration

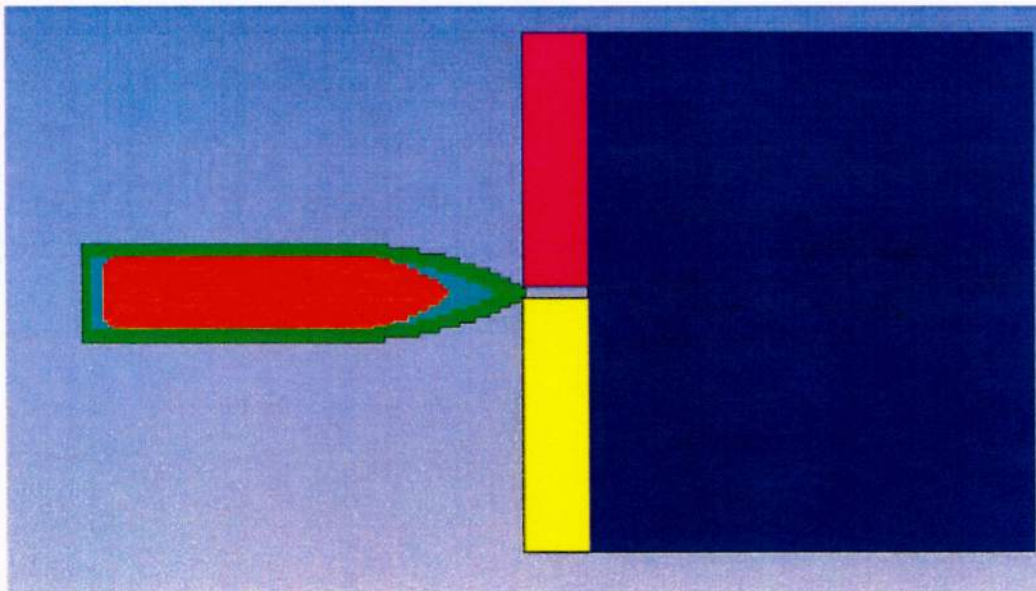


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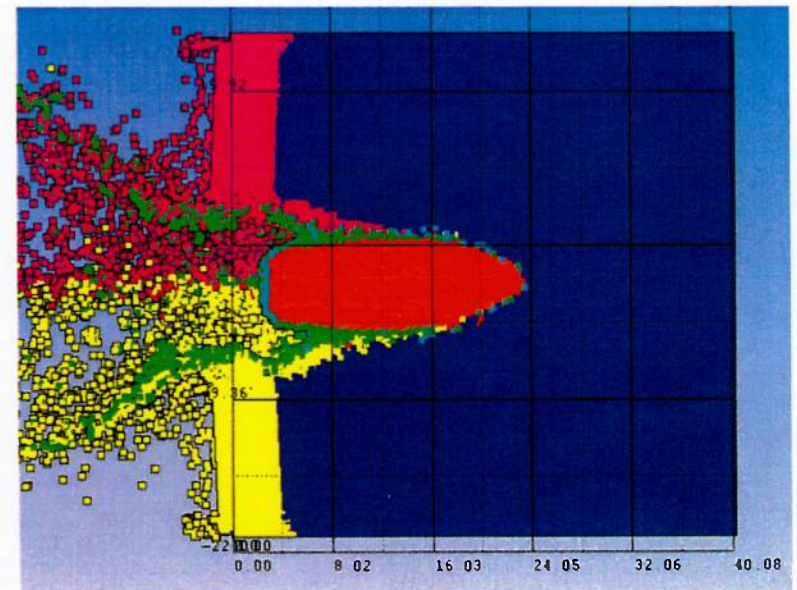
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= 0.4, Gap = 1.2 mm**



Projectile Run at 850 m/s



Depth of Penetration

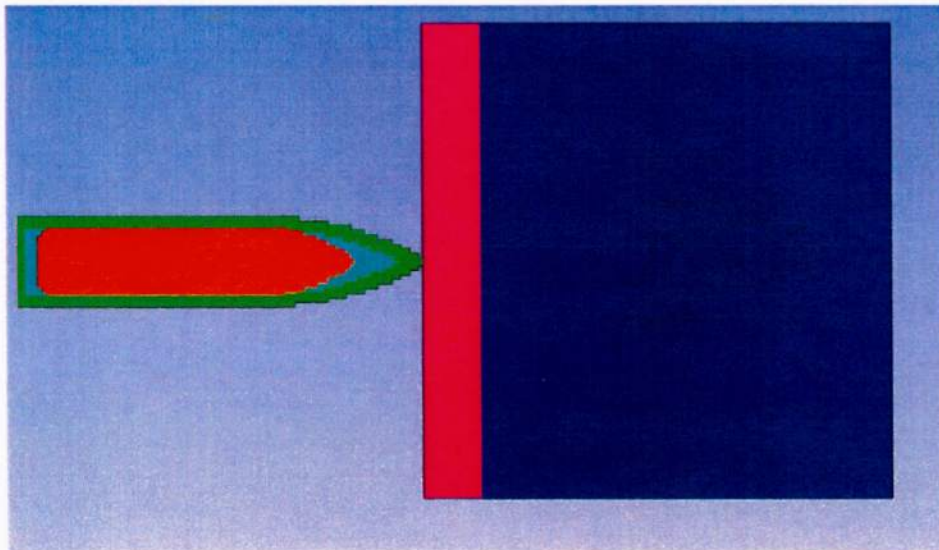


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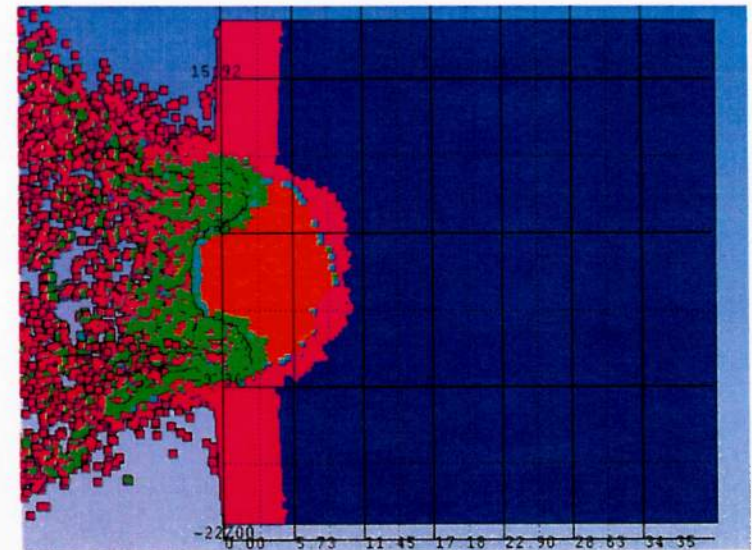
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Projectile Run at 850 m/s



Depth of Penetration

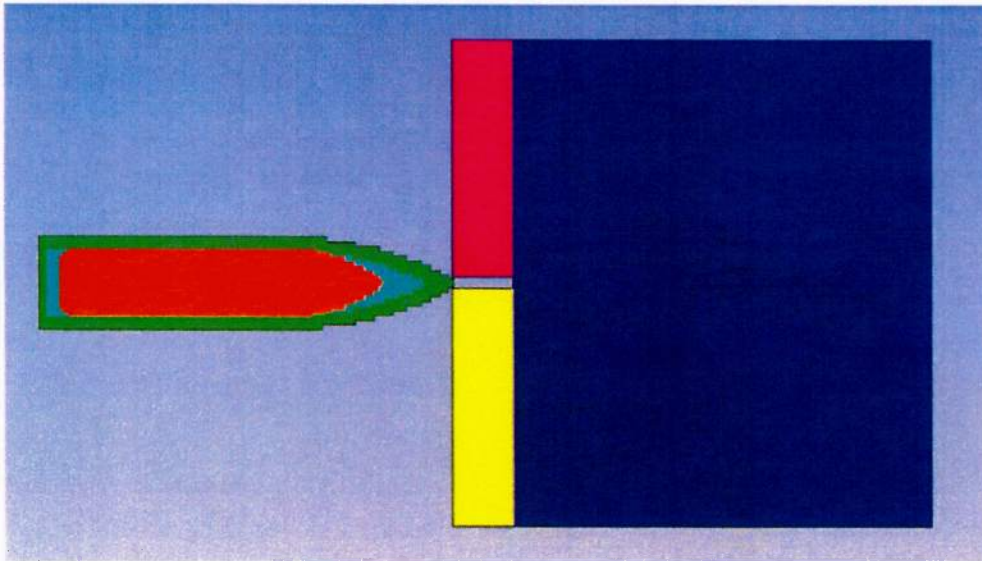


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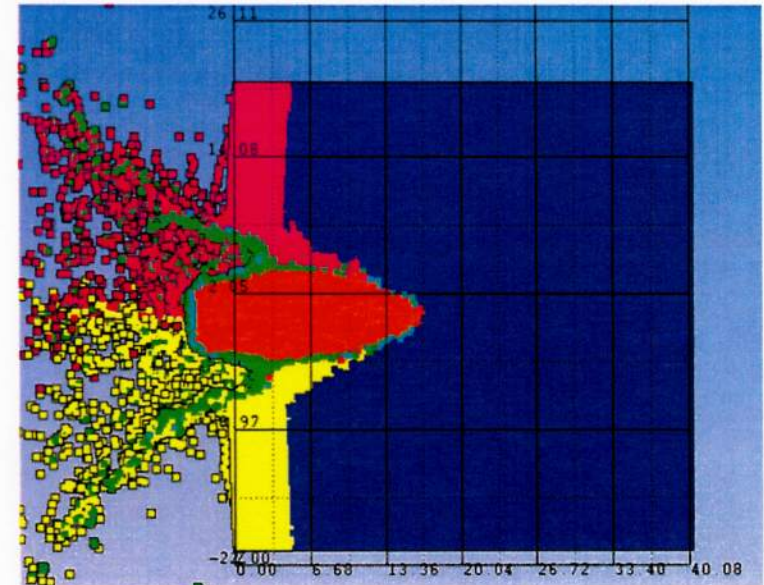
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Projectile Run at 900 m/s



Depth of Penetration

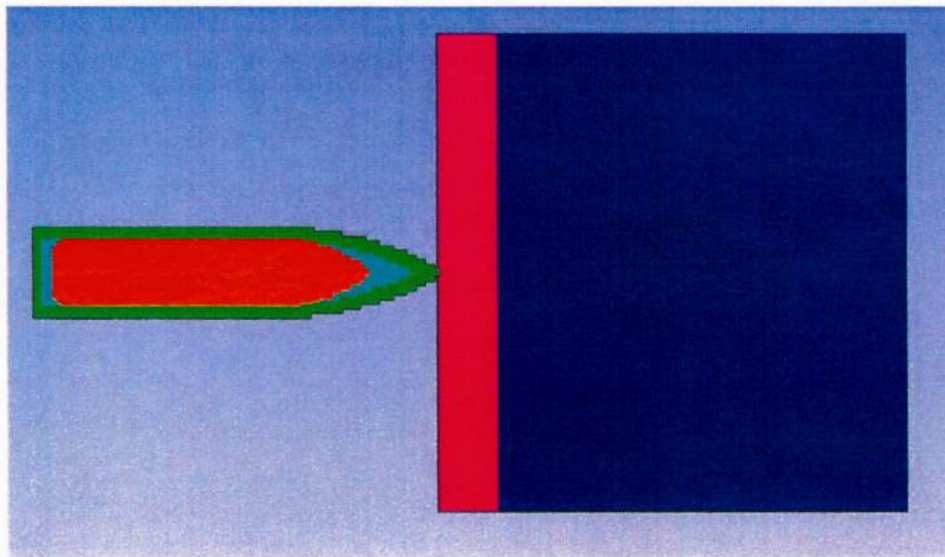


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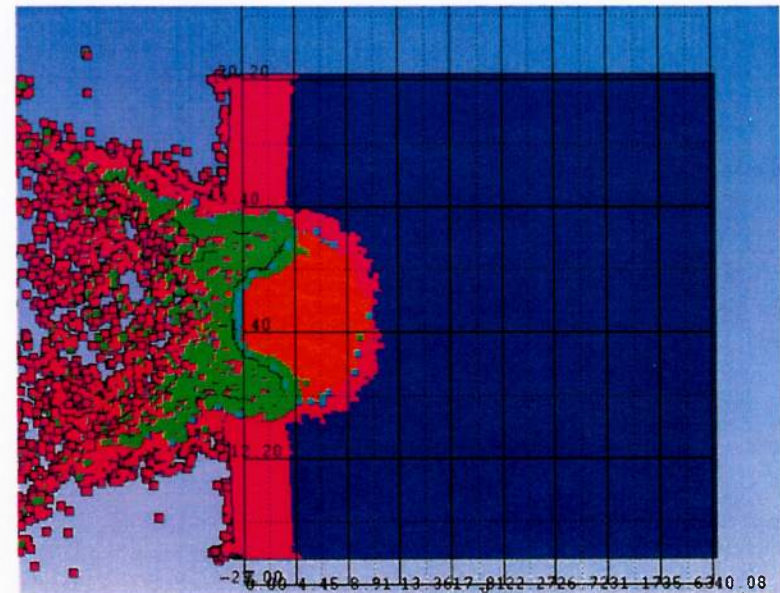
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Projectile Run at 900 m/s



Depth of Penetration

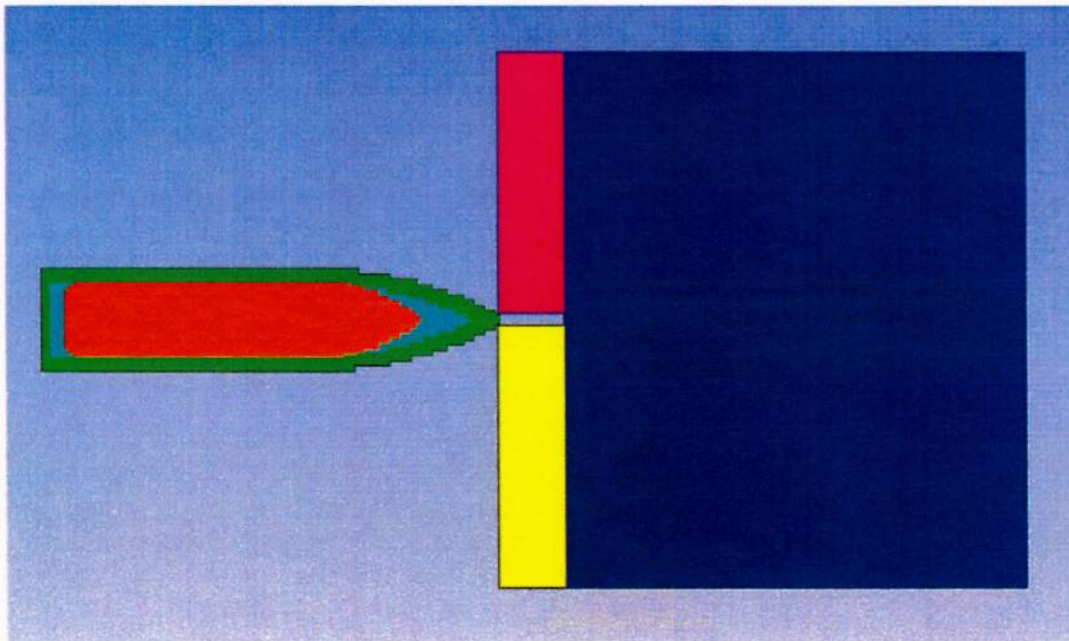


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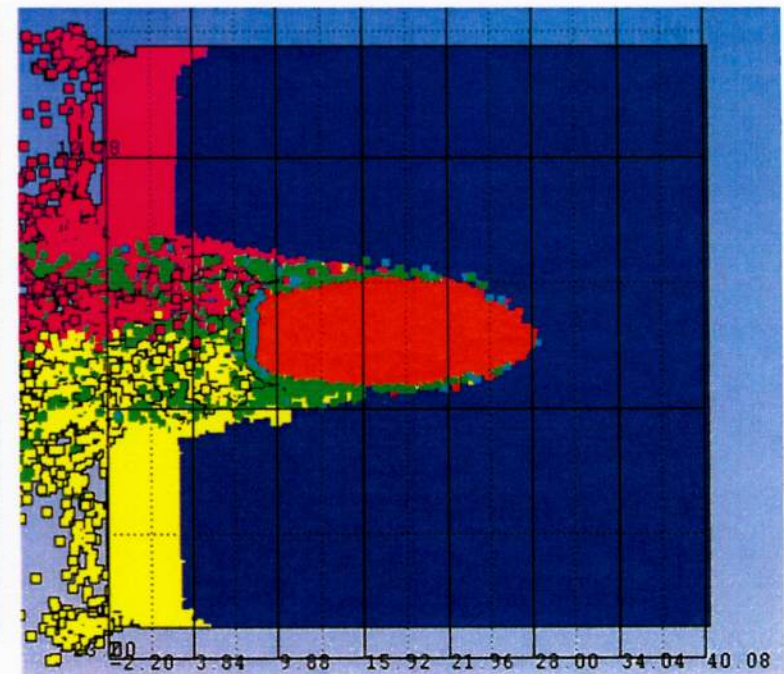
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Projectile Run at 950 m/s



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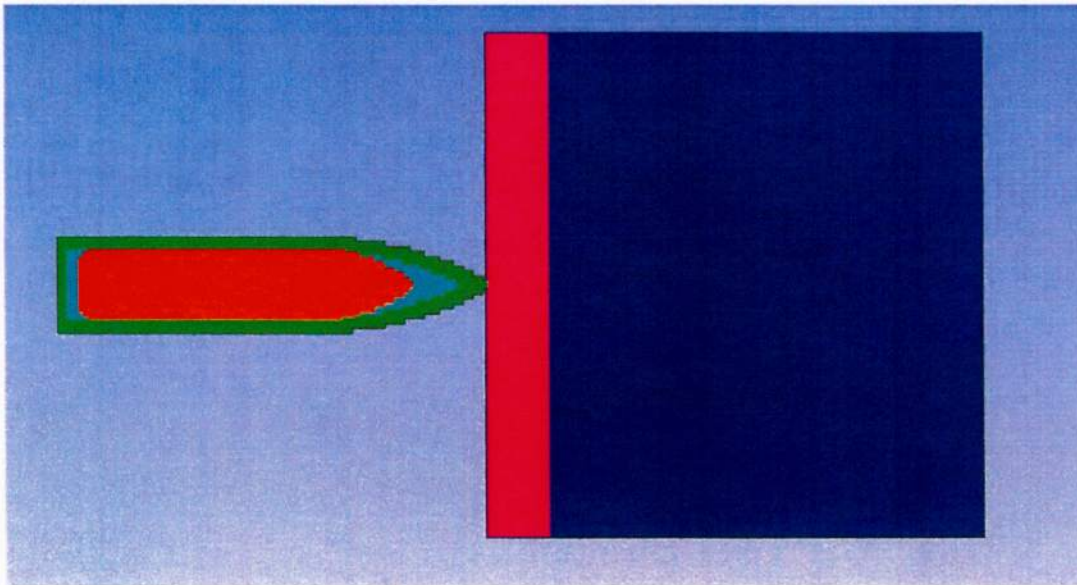


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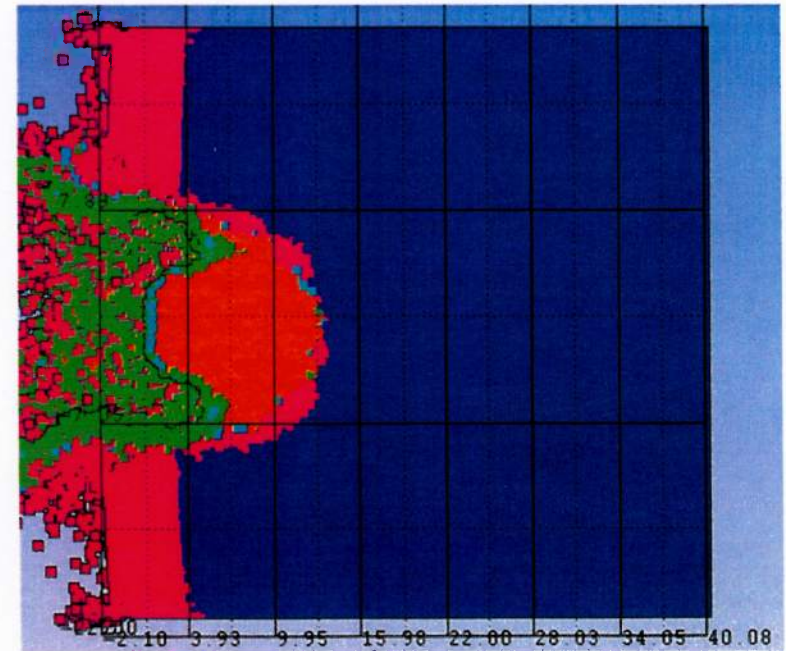
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Projectile Run at 950 m/s



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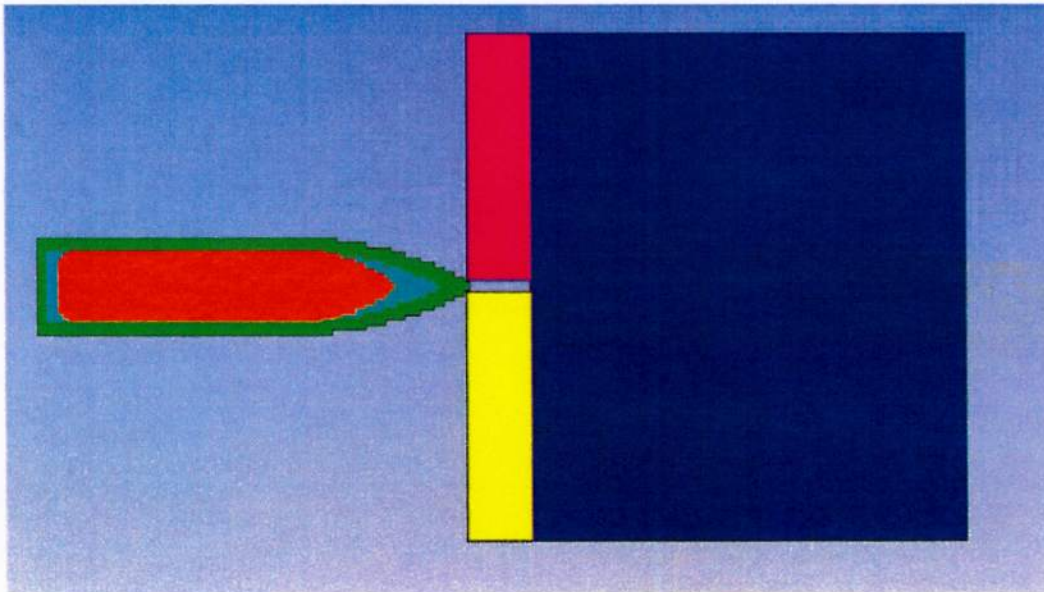


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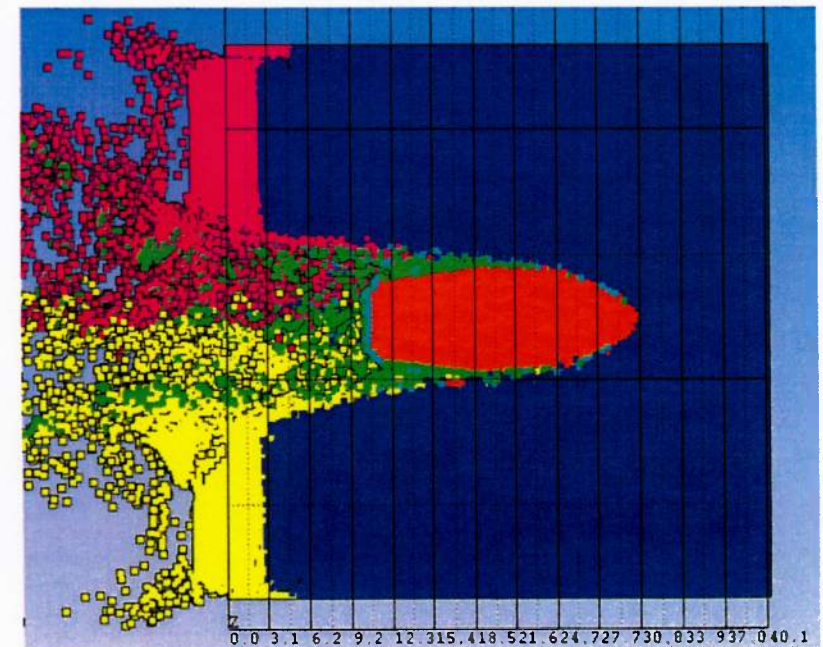
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Projectile Run at 1000 m/s



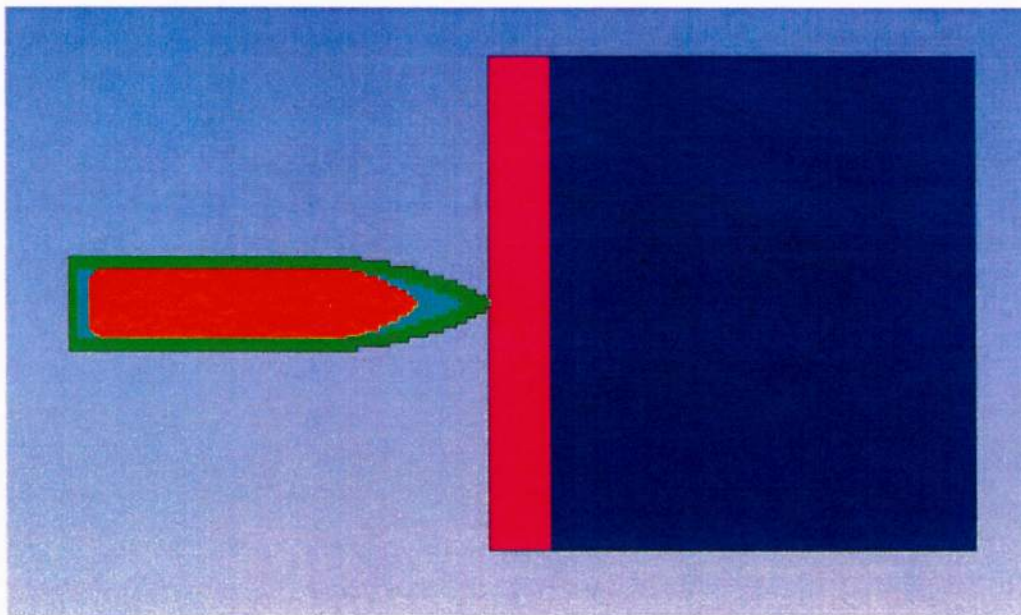
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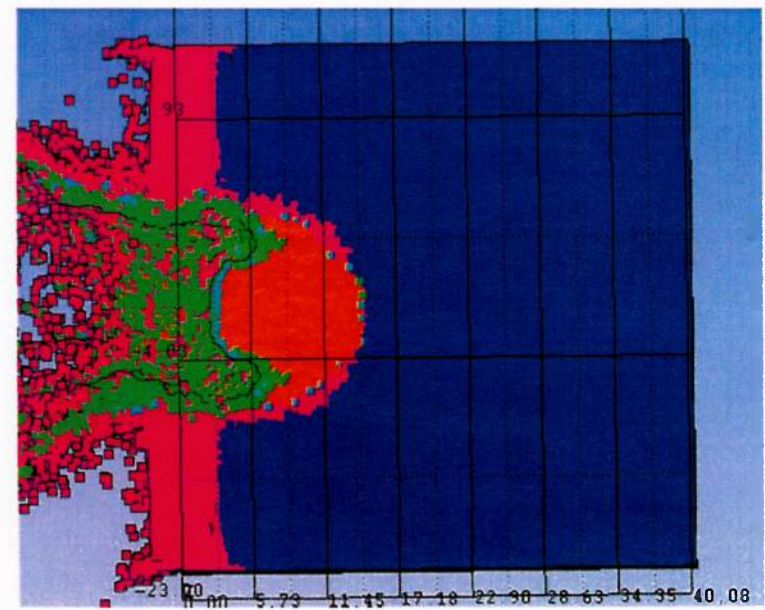
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size = 0.4, One Tile**



Projectile Run at 1000 m/s



Depth of Penetration



$$\text{DOP} = 40.08 - 25.77 = 14.31 \text{ mm}$$